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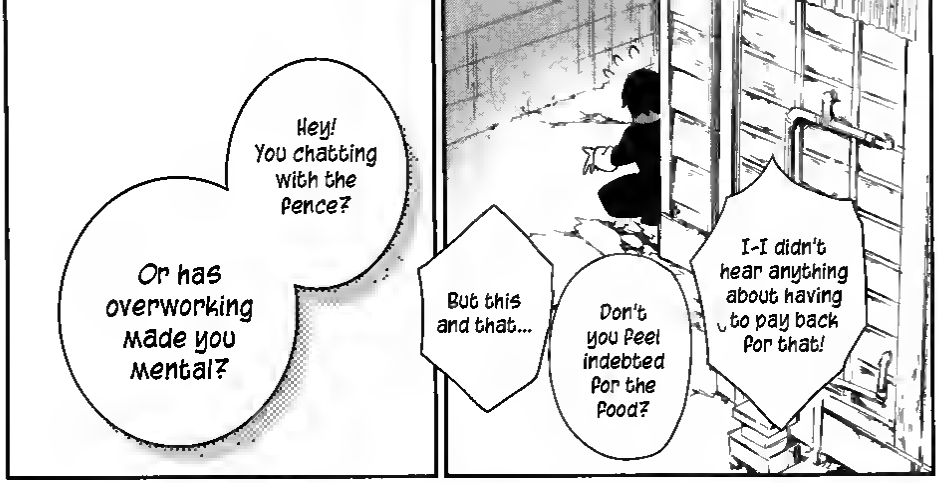
Good evening, Mister
Welcome back Mi-chan, you're late today
I'M HOME--!
Dad! Dinner!
COMIN' RIGHT UP!!
YOU KNOW WHAT'LL HAPPEN IF YOU EAT WITHOUT WASHING YOUR HANDS!

Ah, Mi-chan.
Phew
?
Eh? It's not spicy at all.
Isn't that the same dish as mine? Isn't it spicy?
Ahhh
Stop treating me like a kid already!
Shuddup and eat.
Ah, I see. I guess this'd be too much.
I hold back on the spices.
Hmph. Fine.

ABSOLUTELY NOT.
So lend me your body!
I'll definitely get him to acknowledge my skills.
NO.
MMM
FOOD-STEALING BOY...
Let's leave lending out my body just so you can serve your home cooking to someone out of this.
More importantly, of all people, why does that someone have to be Ryuu?!
That's something that can't be helped
Yes, yes, reality isn't fair, Ken-kun.


Hey! You chatting with the fence?
Or has overworking made you mental?
But this and that...
Don't you feel indebted for the food?
I-I didn't hear anything about having to pay back for that!

Ryuu!
Y'have a crappy bathroom as always.
Grabs
Take that back!
Have the money next time.
Ignores
I will!

We're following him!
HUH ?!
After he loses a game of mah-jong, he comes to our store.
Because he can eat for free.
Grip
This is our chance!

Mr. Shinigami!
Of course we'll gladly lend it out to you!
Yep- he's definitely going to my place.
Once he arrives, give me your body, okay?
I SAID NO!
Why am I even doing this..
STARE
Say...
However, there is a condition here as well,
I can't lend out his body unlimitedly.
STOP
Hey, what about my wil-
You're challenging him knowing why you weren't properly recognised, right?
If you don't, the same thing will just repeat over again.

Really, now~?
Shut up!
Crash
... Of course I know.
Good grief...

What an annoying fly.

Alright, let's go home!
Oi, you came this far- there's no turning back now!
That's right!
I NEVER SAID ANYTHING ABOUT LENDING MY BODY!
He really came...
Ken.

"Please use to your heart's content"
"this poor and measly skill of mine"...
Try saying these lines after me.
?
Toss
You! Don't just pull my soul out like that!
And what were those lines just then!?
I was thinking of an incantation but...
Well then.
Shall we go, my lady?

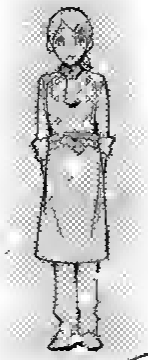
TA
AP
Ah?

I- I learned how to cook from the shop owner's daughter.
Huh?
There were some recipes that she left. She wanted you to taste them...
And she entrusted me with it!
I don't talk like that...
What the hell are you doing?
Huh?
Why the hell do I have to eat something that you made?
And that's that, so...
You'll eat them, won't you?
SHOVE
HOW IS IT!?

Then, how is this one?
Or this?
What about this?
It's always that...
ANNOYED
Nothing special...?
They are all original recipes which won prizes from competitions!
They're delicious
Isn't that good enough?
That's not an "it's delicious" face
Like I said,
As far as flavours go, I think it's delicious.
Tell me your real opinion already.
It's just that...

... I'm sorry old man.

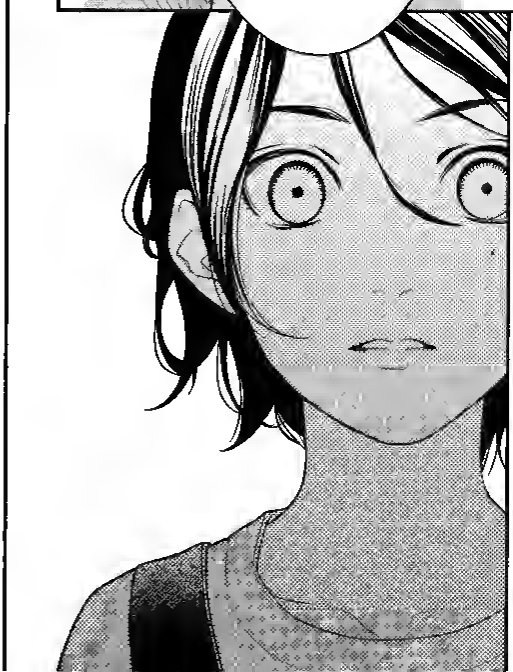
I should have complimented your daughter even just once.



It's alright.

She will have understood what you meant by now.

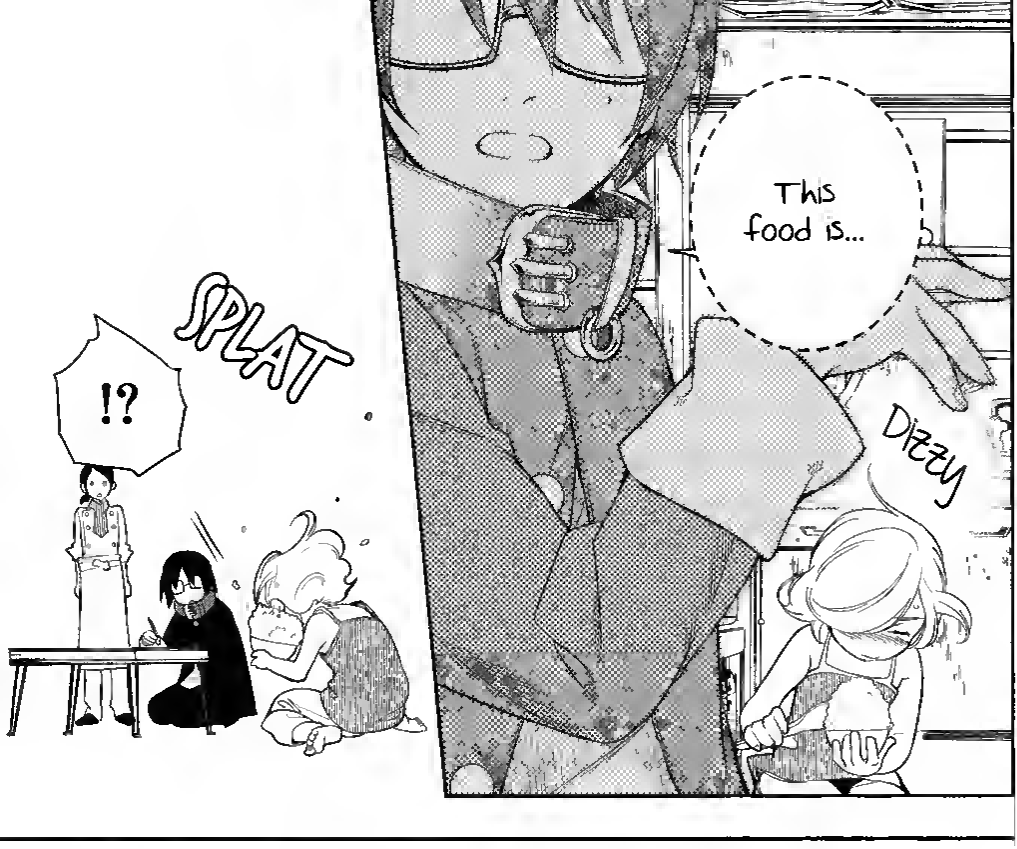
I didn't like it.



I DON'T GET IT!
What do you mean that it's delicious but I didn't like it?!
What exactly was wrong?!
Seasoning? Ingredients? The presentation? Colors?
DON'T JUST BLAME IT ON THE BODY THAT YOU USED WITHOUT PERMISSION!
POINT
There is no mistaking it!
This idiot dog's body is definitely the one to blame!
PAT
I WAS CONTACTED EARLIER, AND WAS TOLD THAT YOU GOT FIRED YESTERDAY.
Because ...
And... Why are you eating again?

I DON'T NEED THAT SORT OF CONSIDER-ATION!
I'LL HAVE YOU EAT PROPERLY TODAY...!
"I ALREADY ATE" WHY DID YOU LIE?!
AND THAT YOU DIDN'T EAT AT WORK
Even if you say there isn't enough ingredients.. What...is this?
I guess it's kind of impossible for such a young kid to make dinner.
Even if you say there isn't enough ingredients, what...
...What is is?

You don't have to be modest.
It's not that.
Huh it's fine.
Lend me you body for a while.
I'll use what you have and Make it into a dish.


This food is...
Dizzy
SPLAT
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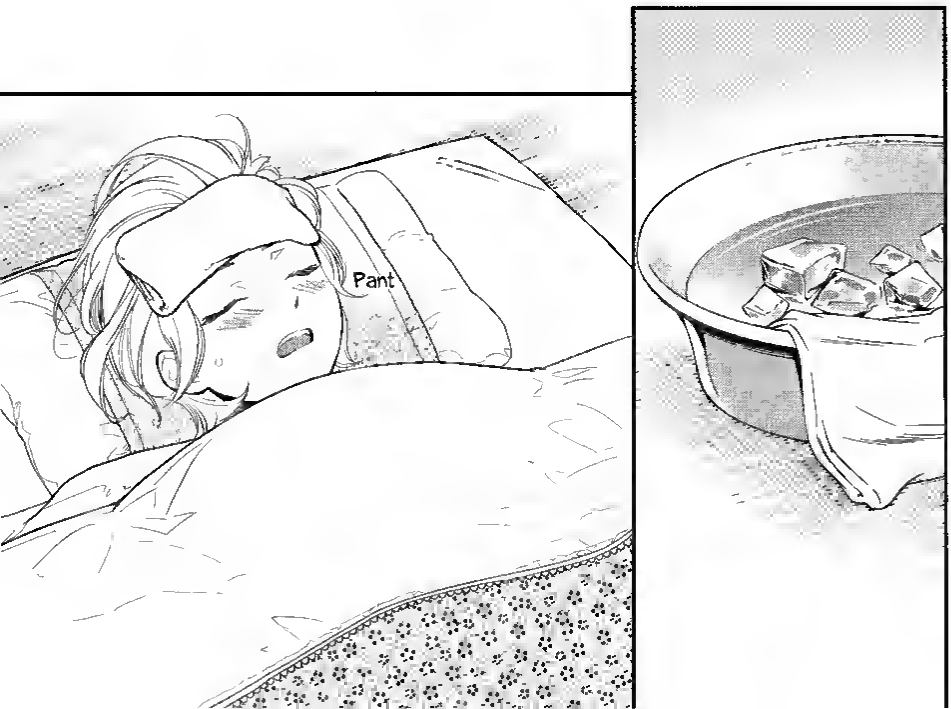
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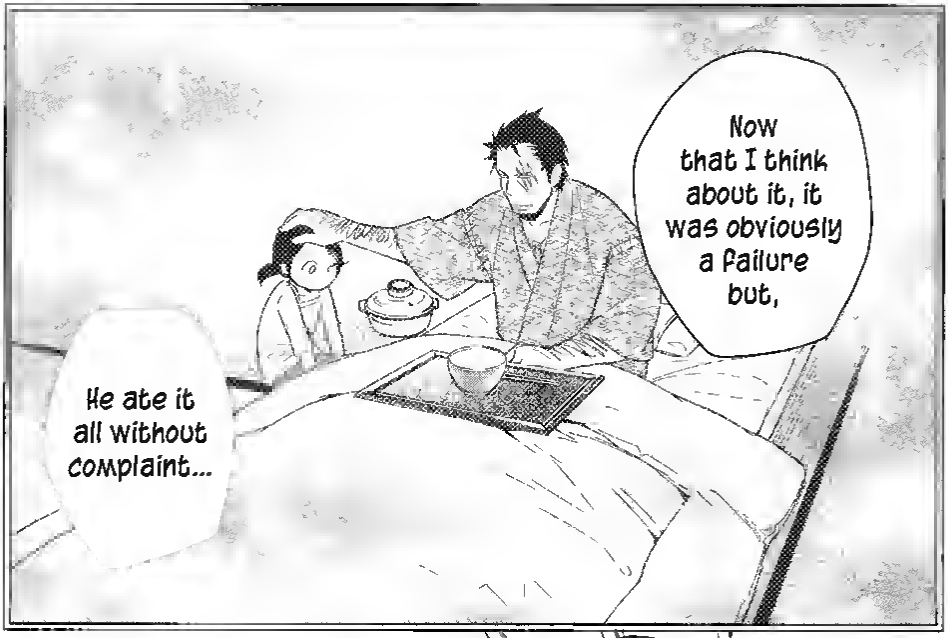
What are you doing?
You make rice porridge for the sick don't you?
She's hungry and I have to keep the body warm.
Oh, then why don't you add in leek, ginger and garlic?
Ah, there might be some leek in the vegetable garden.
Will you three go get it for me?
OKAAAY!
One leek is enough!

This reminds me, the first thing I made was rice porridge...
It was when father was sick, just once.


Now that I think about it, it was obviously a failure but,
He ate it all without complaint...

There is no doubt that anything you make is delicious.
It was really bad
I put a lot of salt, pepper, sugar in. I didn't taste it.
That is adorable.
It must not have been that bad.

cough
It's because Nii-san is hopeless at house-work.
To do this to a valuable ingredient...
How many times did I tell you not to enter the kitchen?!
STAB
S-sorry...
Nii-san, this is...
Deluxe leek rice porridge.
...well, it was supposed to be...
Yeah, it really is deluxe leek...
GRAB
I'll eat it.
I'll accept my punishment
Huh?
Nii-san tried his best and made this for me
There's no way I won't eat it.
But, wait, I'll remake it.
fufu
It doesn't look delicious.

About that meal before, there was something I didn't have a chance to say.
Because it was something she worked hard on and made for me.
There wasn't any need for another dish
You might have seen that as unappetizing but it was very delicious.
Why do you want Ryuu to eat your food so much?

MY SCHOOL TEACHERS, THE REGULARS AT OUR SHOP...,
EVERYONE COMPLIMENTED ME
I...
BUT ONLY RYUU-SAN DIDN'T.
THEN, I BECAME STUBBORN AND KEPT CHALLENGING HIM...
I ONLY WANTED HIM TO EAT IT.
I WAS HAPPY TO PLEASE PEOPLE.
I STARTED COOKING FOR THAT REASON BUT-
BEFORE I WAS AWARE OF IT, ALL I WAS THINKING OF WAS TO BE PRAISED.
I DIDN'T THINK OF THE PEOPLE EATING MY FOOD...
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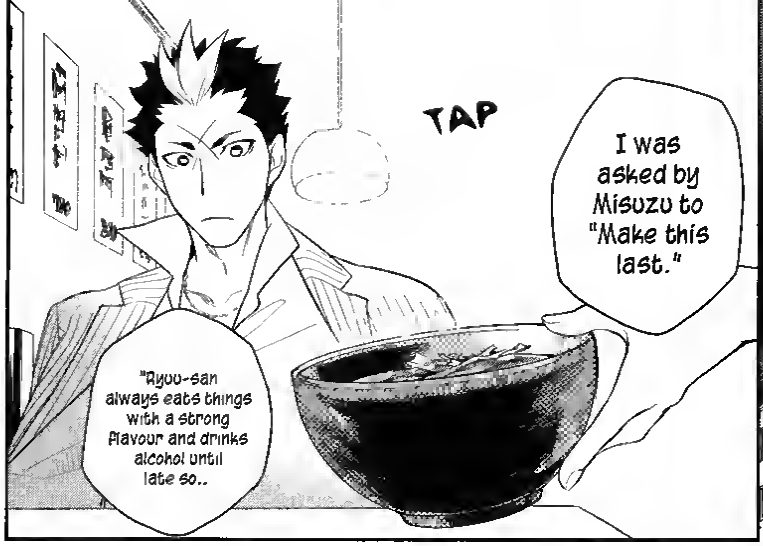
NOT EVEN A LITTLE...
Oh...
I see...
WHAT WAS WRONG...
...Hey
Please,
...WAS ME.

Please lend me your body just one more time!
In the end...
I want to cook for Ryuu-san, he's been with me all this time.
...I guess it can't be helped.

Welcome to my marvellous show.
Well then, I shall grant you your wish.
"Enjoy our skill's fortitude thoroughly."
I think you'll find it quite magnificent.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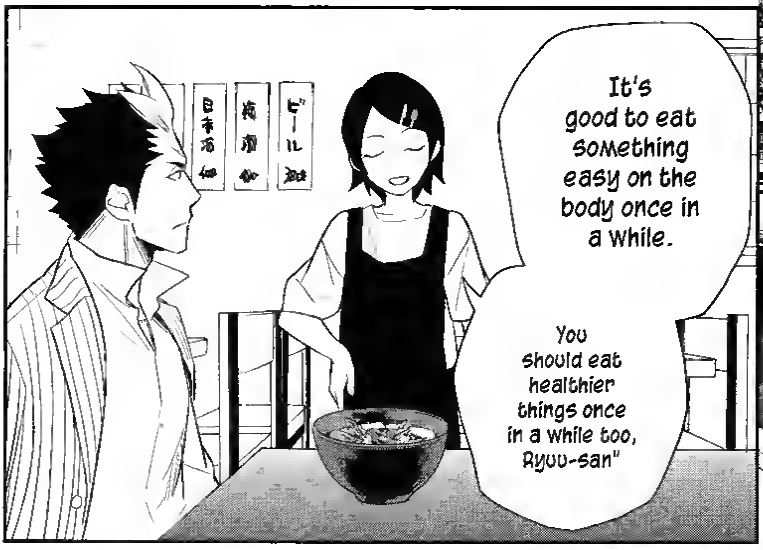
I was asked by Misuzu to "Make this last."
"Ryuu-san always eats things with a strong flavour and drinks alcohol until late so..


It's good to eat something easy on the body once in a while.
You should eat healthier things once in a while too, Ryuu-san"

I'm sorry for making you going along with me repeatedly."
Is what she said.

Well, it's not bad.
I don't like it how you made it but,
Thank you...!

beep
THIS IS TAKESHITA COMMITING ADULTERY WITH A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN.

...She moved on, huh.

BEFORE AND AFTER HAYASHIDA PUTS ON MAKE-UP.
beep
beep
MURAI HARASSING A PEER.

...HM?

LEICH CAMERA MADE IN GERMANY
I DON'T GET IT BUT IT FEELS GROSS.
THIS IS...
THAT SILK HAT AND KID WITH A COLLAR I RAN INTO.
I CAN GET HOLD OF ANYONE'S WEAKNESS LIKE THIS.
PULL
MOLESTATION, EMBEZZLEMENTS, BRIBES, BID-RIGGING, PLASTIC SURGERY, SLEEPING FOR BENEFITS.
I'M A SPIRIT SO I CAN JUST TAKE THESE PHOTOS SECRETLY. NO ONE NOTICES.
HIHI HIHIHI HIHI HIHI HI
NO ONE WILL BE ABLE TO DISOBEY ME!
HIHI HI!

The unpleasant one is you.
SLice
M-
MY CAMERA AAAAA!!
I thought the organisation was looking into me but...
It was only a peeping photo maniac.

WHOOSH
CO-COMPENSATE FOR IT!
IT WAS VERY VERY EXPENSIVE!
Well, either way. If those photos were to be seen by the top I'd b troubled.
Thank you for letting me destroy it.
If you become an evil spirit I'll cut you into pieces and make you disappear.
Be thankful it was only your camera that was destroyed.
EEK!
EVEN WITHIN MEN, I HATE PEOPLE LIKE YOU THE MOST.

AAAH!!
. . .
DAMN YOU! JUST YOU WAIT, I'LL WRITE ABOUT THIS ON THE NET...!
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Hmmmm.
I felt a presence of an evil spirit, strong enough to possess a human's body around here but...
It doesn't seem to be you.
I wonder where they went?
Woah! That's so small!
!?
If you run, I'll suddenly...
Huh? What what? Why are you running away?
A comrade?!
He has the same mark as the guy from just then.

WHOOSH
FEEL LIKE CUTTING YOU, RIGHT?
I WANT TO CUT SOMEONE WHO'D PUT UP A FIGHT ONCE IN A WHILE"
HAA... SO BORING.
Like Shin-senpai!